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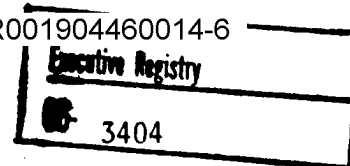
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SUSPENSE		12 Aug 86 Date			

Remarks To 5: Please get back to DCI with plan to deal with requested follow-on analysis (Para 1), copy of Goodman paper, AND Thoughts on conference for this fall.

Executive Secretary  
28 Jul 86

Date



28 July 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Soviet Affairs, DI  
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence  
SUBJECT: The Soviet Information Revolution

1. Thanks for the material you sent me on the Soviet information revolution. The paper on "The Debate Over 'Openness' in Soviet Propaganda and Culture" is a well done and useful background; however, what I want to focus on is not Soviet policy on openness, but the forces which will create more widespread exchange and circulation of information in the Soviet Union through whatever channels, government policies, and worldwide technological forces. I want this analysis to be pro-active in character, searching for and stimulating a greater flow of information to, from and within the Soviet Union.

2. I'd like to see the baseline study [redacted] 25X1  
I have seen the concept paper for the study to be done [redacted]  
[redacted] I am anxious for the conference on this subject to be held this fall. 25X1  
I would like your thoughts on subjects for this conference. I will think a little about that. Among others I would like to have participate are Leo Cherne, Zbig Brzezinski, Ross Perot, and Charlie Wick with someone from USIS. Get subjects, speaker suggestions and further involvement [redacted] in this exercise. 25X1

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